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Leonard Edward Bogan, et al.

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Serial No.: 10/622,967 Confirmation No.: 4012

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Sir:

I, Marcella M. Bodner, am authorized to sign on behalf of Rohm and Haas Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, the assignee of the entire Interest in the United States Patent Application of Serial No. 10/622,967, filed July 18, 2003. Rohm and Haas Company hereby disclaims, except as provided below, all that portion of the term of any patent to be issued on Application No. 10/622,967 which would extend beyond the expiration date of the full statutory term of any patent granted on pending U.S. Patent Application No. 10/722,281, filed on November 25, 2003, as such term is defined in 35 U.S.C. §§ 154 and 173, and as the

term of any patent granted on U.S. Patent Application No. 10/722,281 may be shortened by any terminal disclaimer fied prior to the gant of any patent on U.S. Patent Application No. 10/722,281, and hereby agrees that any patent to be issued on Application No. 10/622,967 shall be enforceable only for and during such period that the legal title to said patent shall be the same as the legal title to U.S. Patent Application No. 10/722,281, this agreement to run with any patent granted on Application No. 10/622,967 and to be binding upon the grantee of said patent and their successors or assigns.

In making the above disclaimer, Rohm and Haas Company does not disclaim the terminal part of any patent granted on Application No. 10/622,967 prior to the expiration date of the full statutory term of any patent granted on U.S. Patent Application No. 10/722,281 in the event that such patent granted U.S. Patent Application No. 10/722,281 later: expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee, is held unenforceable, is found invalid, is statutorily disclaimed in whole or terminally disclaimed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.321, has all claims cancelled by a reexamination certificate, or is otherwise terminated prior to expiration of its statutory term as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer, except for the separation of legal title stated above.

Application No. 10/622,967 and U.S. Patent Application No. 10/722,281 are assigned to a common entity, the Rohm and Haas Company.

The assignment of U.S. Patent Application No. 10/722,281 (which is a divisional of U.S. Serial No. 09/962,487, filed September 25, 2001 and now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,710,207) has been recorded at the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the aforesaid parent patent (US 6,710,207) at reel/frame 014175/0679 on date of recordation: December 2, 2003. A copy of the recorded Assignment is attached hereto.

The assignment of the present Application (Serial No. 10/622,967, which is a divisional of U.S. Serial No. 10/117,944, filed April 8, 2002 and now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,645,906) has been recorded at the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the aforesaid parent patent (US 6,645,906) at reel/frame 014100/0924 on date of recordation: May 23, 2003. A copy of the recorded Assignment is attached hereto.

As an authorized representative of the assignee empowered to sign on behalf of the assignee, I have reviewed the evidentiary documents referred to above and certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, title is ours as assignees who seek to take this action of terminal disclaimer. I hereby declare and say that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this application or any patent issued thereon.

Please charge the requisite fee of \$130.00 (37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d)) to **Deposit Account No. 18-1850**. A duplicate of this disclaimer is attached. Please charge any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 18-1850**.

Respectfully submitted,

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The assignment of U.S. Patent No. 6,407,031 (issued from Application No. 09/928,030) is found at reel/frame 012724/0274, date of recordation: March 19, 2002.

The assignment of U.S. Patent No. 6,407,280 (issued from Application No. 09/928,197) is found at reel/frame 012870/0340, date of recordation: May 6, 2002.

The assignment of U.S. Patent No. 6,403,525 (issued from Application No. 09/928,020) is found at reel/frame 014202/0672, date of recordation: December 17, 2003.

The assignment of U.S. Patent No. 6,472,552 (issued from Application No. 10/096,018, which is a divisional of U.S. Serial No. 09/928,022, filed August 9, 2001 and now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,383,978) has been recorded at the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the aforesaid parent patent (US 6,383,978) at reel/frame 012723/0912 on date of recordation: March 19, 2002. A copy of the recorded Assignment is attached hereto.

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